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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD					Application or Pocket Number 09/636,826				
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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I									
(Column 1)		(Column 2)		SMALL ENTITY		OR			
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA		RATE	FEE	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY			
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.18(a))				\$		\$			
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.18(c))	minus 20 =			X \$		X \$			
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.18(d))	minus 3 =			X \$		X \$			
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.18(f))				+ \$		+ \$			
				TOTAL		TOTAL			
* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2.									
CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II									
AMENDMENT A	(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)		SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
	Total (37 CFR 1.18(g))	Minus	54			X \$		X \$	
	Independent (37 CFR 1.18(h))	Minus	3			X \$		X \$	
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.18(i))					+ \$		+ \$	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE		
AMENDMENT B	(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)		SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
	Total (37 CFR 1.18(g))	Minus	54			X \$		X \$	
	Independent (37 CFR 1.18(h))	Minus	3			X \$		X \$	
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.18(i))					+ \$		+ \$	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE		
AMENDMENT C	(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)		SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
	Total (37 CFR 1.18(g))	Minus	54			X \$		X \$	
	Independent (37 CFR 1.18(h))	Minus	3			X \$		X \$	
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.18(i))					+ \$		+ \$	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE		
<p>* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.</p> <p>** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20".</p> <p>*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3".</p> <p>The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.</p>									

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